

LRV Present Folk Tales On Sunday

The Liberal Religious Youth of the Pacific Unitarian Church will present a program of folk tales at 10:30 a.m., Sunday, Feb. 3, at Miraleste School.

Folk stories of universal appeal from the Fifth Century, B.C., to the 1930's will be presented. Musical accompaniment on the guitar will be supplied by members of the group.

Among the tales to be presented are: How the Toothache Came Into the World; Journey to Toulouse of Animals that had Colds; Callisto and Arcas; Soupstone; Shinglebiss; Dust Bowl; The Town Mouse and Country Mouse; and Disowned Student.

Maxine Malini, of 17303 Arlington Ave., is one of those taking part.

NEW YEAR

Each year, one vicious habit rooted out in time ought to make the worst man good.

—Benjamin Franklin

THE KINGDOM WITHIN

I feel within me a peace above all earthly dignities, a still and quiet conscience.

—Shakespeare

ST. LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH

MASS

7, 8, 9, 10:15, 11:15, 12:15

Monsignor Collins

1900 Tulita Avenue Redondo Beach FR 5-6037



ETHAN R. HASLAGE, 2214 W. 243rd St., Lomita (right), March of Dimes chairman for the Lomita-Harbor City area, with Robert A. Wilkinson, Los Angeles chairman, congratulate tiny

Linda Bonadiman, 5, of Bell Gardens on her progress at Rancho Los Amigos. Haslage is manager of the Lomita Chamber of Commerce.

THE KINGDOM WITHIN

When a man is wrapped up in himself, he makes a pretty small package.

—John Ruskin

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BAPTIST

DEL AMO SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH—2224 Cabrillo Ave., at Plaza del Amo Entrance. Permanent location at 2224 St. and Ocean Ave., Del Amo Center Sunday School 9:45 a.m.; Training Union 4 p.m.; Worship Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Pastor Daniel B. Weaver, Jr. FR 1-3925

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Carson at Manual. Rev. Robert Dehn, Church phone FR 5-3020; 9:15 and 10:45 morning worship; 9:15, nursery, through 5th grade; 10:45-11:45 High through Adult Sunday School; 6:30 a.m. Training Classes; 7:30 a.m. Evangelistic service; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m., mid-week service. Nursery care for evening service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Park and Newton Sts. in Watteria. Rev. J. Reid, pastor. FR 5-1047 or DA 6-4121. Sunday school 9:30 a.m.; Morning worship 11 a.m.; Nursery care provided for both sessions. Inspirational Gospel Hour at 7 p.m. Wednesday Bible Exposition and prayer.

NARBONNE AVENUE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH—24230 Narbonne Ave., Lomita, DA 4-6029. Church 8:30 a.m., 10:50 a.m.; Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

CATHOLIC

ST. LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH—1900 Tulita Ave., Redondo Beach. Monsignor Daniel P. Collins. Mass 7, 8, 9, 10:15, 11:15, 12:15. FR 5-6037.

ST. CATHERINE LABOURE CHURCH—3846 Redondo Beach Blvd., Torrance. Phone 3-8900. Sunday Masses: 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12. Weekday Masses: 6:30 and 8:15. Confessions Saturdays, 4:00 to 5:30, 7:30 to 9:00.

CHURCH OF GOD

SOUTH BAY CHURCH OF GOD—17461 Yukon Ave. Phone 323-3970. Rev. C. L. "Johnny" 1741 Yukon Torrance. First morning service 8:30 a.m.; Sunday school 9:45 a.m.; second morning service, 11:10 a.m.; Sunday night service 7:30 p.m. Mid-week services. Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

FOUR SQUARE CHURCH

FOUR SQUARE CHURCH—Corner of Arlington and Sepulveda. Telephone, DA 6-2072. Rev. and Mrs. James P. Loven, pastors. Sunday: school, 9:30 a.m.; morning worship, 10:45 a.m.; group services, 4:00 p.m.; V.P. Cadets (Defenders), Evangelistic, 7:15 p.m.; mid-week, Wednesday Bible study at 7:15 p.m. Public invited.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

DEL AMO CHRISTIAN CHURCH, 4915 Emerald St. (corner of Emerald and Vic. tor), phone 371-8414. Leslie C. Ashford, minister. Sunday School 9 and 11 a.m. Morning worship, 10 a.m. Nursery care for children under three. Jet Cadets (grades 4-5), 5:30 p.m. and Christian Youth Fellowship (grades 7-12) at 6:30 p.m. each Sunday.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF TORRANCE (Disciples of Christ), corner of Eldorado and Maple. FA 8-2820. Rev. H. Milton Sipeel, minister. Rev. Odell Myers, minister to youth. Mrs. Howard Foster, director of church school. Worship services and church school sessions 9:30 and 11 a.m. Classes begin with two year olds. Nursery care for children under two. CHI Rho (Junior High) 5 p.m. C.Y.F. (High School) 7 p.m. each Sunday.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—218th St. and Manual Ave., Torrance. Church services—11 a.m.; Wednesday evening meetings, 8 p.m.; Sunday school 9:15 a.m. and 11 a.m. Children under 16 years of age must be accompanied by parents or guardian. Reading room, 1406 Craven. Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily except Sunday and holidays; also 1 to 9 Monday and Friday evenings. All are welcome to attend our services and to use our Reading Room.

GREEK ORTHODOX

BREBE ORTHODOX—317 S. Broadway, Redondo Beach. Phone FR 9-4776. Divine Liturgy, 11 a.m. to 12 noon every Sunday. Rev. Nihilolis, Sunday school classes: 10:30 a.m. Greek school and Bible classes every Tuesday, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

LUTHERAN

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH—Located on Carson St. and Flower Ave. in Torrance. Wm. J. Riedler, pastor. Residence, 2550 El Dorado. Phone FA 8-3249. Church office, 1725 Flower Ave. FA 8-5884. First Church worship, 8 a.m.; Sunday School 9:45 a.m. and 9:45 a.m.; second morning worship, 10:45 a.m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (Missouri Synod)—765 Knob Hill Ave., Redondo Beach, near Southwood Park, west of Hawthorne, south of Sepulveda. Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. Worship service, 8:30 and 11 a.m. Pastor A. L. Scheutz. FR 9-5535 or 5-7535.

METHODIST

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH OF TORRANCE—1551 El Prado, Torrance, FA 8-3242. Rev. Gilbert S. Zimmerman, pastor. Sunday Worship 9 and 11 a.m. Sunday School through the fifth grade at 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday School sixth grade through adults at 10 a.m. Nursery care 9:15.

PRESBYTERIAN

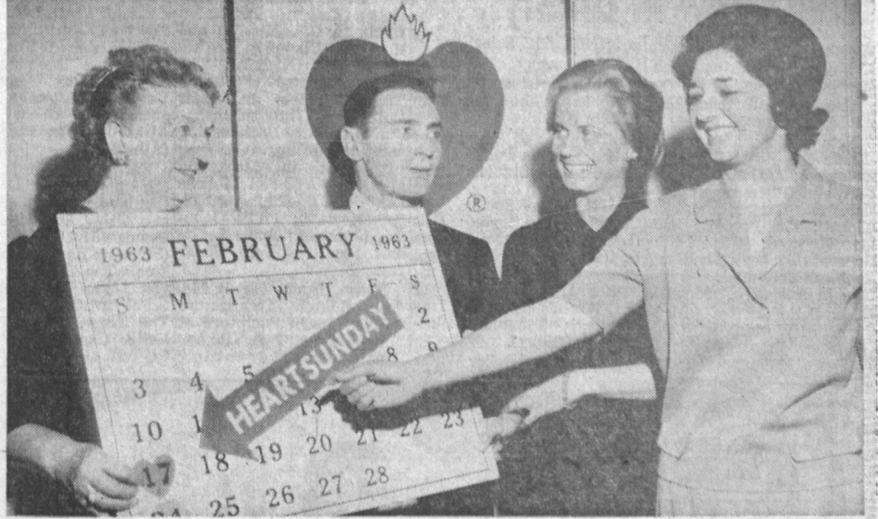
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF GARDENA—1957 W. Redondo Beach Blvd. Davis 4-1084. Rev. E. Murray Jones, minister. 1470 W. 153rd St., Gardena. DA 1-2115. Sunday School—1957 Redondo Beach Blvd. 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship—1957 Redondo Beach Blvd. 11:00 a.m. (nursery care provided). Youth Fellowship, 1957 Redondo Beach Blvd. Sunday, 7:00 p.m.

GREYHERBS MEMORIAL ORTHODOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—23511 South Figueroa, Torrance. Formerly of Los Angeles. Worship hours, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. every Sunday. Sunday School beginning at 9:30 a.m. Bring your children (nursery). Young people's fellowship at 8 p.m. William J. Borner, pastor. Mr. Richard Goren, Supr. of Sunday School. Mr. Will Power, Director of Choir.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST

TORRANCE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST—1610 Acadia Ave., Elder Manson Melchiff, pastor. Phone 323-0864. Church office, FA 8-1580. Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m.; church services, 11 a.m.; Bible study, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.; young people's meeting, Friday, 7:30 p.m.

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HEART LEADERS PLAN for Heart Sunday weekend, Feb. 14-17 at the Los Angeles County Heart Association office in Lawndale. At leadership meeting were Mrs. R. E. Shaffer (Rebekah), 2052 Santa Fe Ave., Torrance community chairman; Paul Keefrider, 25701

Crenshaw Blvd., Dominguez community chairman; Mrs. Robert F. Nielsen, 215 Avenida del Norte, Redondo Beach, unit chairman, and Mrs. Henri Front, 4154 Via Lado, Torrance, regional chairman.

Palos Verdes Players Announce 'Palm' Cast

The three-act comedy, "A let; her 'shifty' boy friend will be Pat Schiffman.

Helen Borst appears as the landlady of the "Maison Chic," next door. King Savers is director.

The cast includes Betty Elliott as a Hollywood rooming house landlady. Roomers include Shirley Savers, as a serious-minded daughter, and Maurice Windsor as the man who wants to marry her.

Other tenants are Marcia Graves as Alice, the lovesick one; Jerry Dulin, as a muscle man; Corinne Neumann as a not-so-young star.

DECEIT

O, what a tangled web we weave, when first we practice to deceive.

—Sir Walter Scott

BEING

Being is a state of consciousness, and man has a spiritual entity.

—Richard G. Haw

THE 'ZERO' MYSTERY OF NINE PRESIDENTS

Editor's Note: Readers write letters to the editor. The following is a letter to readers from an editor.

Time passes so quickly in Torrance that the Presidential election next year is just around the corner. It will be the 45th in our history as a nation.

Elections always are interesting. Many books are filled with fascinating facts about the men who filled the office of President, the way they got elected, what they did, or did not do, after they were elected.

There is one strange mystery about the Presidency that very, very few people know about, and those who do cannot explain it at all, or even know if it will continue to repeat itself in the future as it did in the past.

You have to go back and review the previous 44 Presidential elections to find that mystery and to bring it into focus in the proper light.

The heart of the mystery lies in the fact that, except for the very first in 1789, our Presidential elections are held in years ending in the digits Zero, Four, Eight, Two, and Six, which are repeated every 20 years. In past 44 Presidential elections, the mystery appears. It clings to the elections which take place in the year ending in Zero and touches none of the other years.

To see the mystery, first, let's list the Presidents who were elected, or defeated, in the first two Zero year elections:

1800 — John Adams and Thomas Jefferson.

1820 — James Monroe.

Second, let's list the Presidents elected in the Zero year elections for the 120 years following the Zero year election of 1820:

1840 — William Henry Harrison

1860 — Abraham Lincoln.

1880 — James Garfield

1900 — William McKinley

1920 — Warren G. Harding

1940 — Franklin D. Roosevelt

Third, let's go back to the beginning, to the Presidents who took part in the Revolution AND were linked to the Zero election years of 800 and 1820.

The lives of those three men intimately were connected with the Revolution. Adams placed the sword of command in the hands of George Washington, and the pen to draft the Declaration of Independence in the hand of Thomas Jefferson.

Monroe was a cadet at William and Mary College, joined the Third Virginia Regiment at 18, fought at White Plains, Brandywine, Monmouth, and was wounded at Trenton. Later, he was elected to the Continental Congress.

Five hundred miles to the north, on the first of July, 1826, 90-year-old John Adams received a local commitee.

The members came to

men intimately were connected with the Revolution. Adams and Jefferson with justice could be the fathers of Independence.

When Thomas Jefferson's Declaration of Independence was being considered, the man who fought hardest to prevent the change of a single word was that doctory fighter for freedom, John Adams.

Yet, 20 years later, Jefferson became the leader of our first opposition party while vice president of the United States, and the president who his party opposed was the same John Adams.

When Jefferson was elected President in the first Zero election year of 1800, the hurt of defeat in President John Adams was so great that he did not remain in Washington to see his adversary, and once close friend, inaugurated.

By 1816, the hurt had healed, and John Adams wrote to Thomas Jefferson: "You and I ought not to die until we have fully explored each other's minds."

Jefferson replied: "It would be strange indeed if, at our age, we were to go back and hunt up imaginary or forgotten facts to disturb the repose of the affection so sweetening to the evening of our lives."

As mentioned above, the lives of Adams, Jefferson, and Monroe intimately were connected with the Revolution.

Now let's leap ahead through the years to see how their deaths intimately were connected with memories of that dearly-won Independence of our nation, which they helped so mightily to achieve.

Down in Monticello, Virginia, on the second of July, 1826, 83-year-old Thomas Jefferson spoke to his grandsons, saying:

"From the practice of purest virtue, you may be assured you will derive the most sublime comforts in every moment of life, and in the moment of death."

The eight-year-old seemed puzzled. Jefferson turned to his namesake — Thomas Jefferson Randolph, who knew his grandfather had no fear of his approaching end, — and said: "George doesn't seem to understand."

Two days later, toward 11 o'clock in the morning of the Fourth of July, Thomas Jefferson began to lose consciousness. He was, he had said, "like an old watch, with a pinion worn out here, and a wheel there, until it can go no longer." Soon, he was dead.

The members came to

ask the old man to propose a toast to give on the Fourth. A doctory fighter to the end, John Adams stoutly replied: "Independence forever!"

In the late afternoon of the Fourth, John Adams spoke with his last breath these words: "Jefferson still survives . . ." and died at five, never knowing that Thomas Jefferson already was gone.

In the nearby village, the crowd was shouting John Adams' last toast — "Independence forever!" — until the news of his death stilled each voice.

The man who wrote the Declaration of Independence, and the man who fought its passage through a divided Congress, both died, almost mystically, on the same day — the 50th birthday of that Declaration and of the United States of

America which they both had helped so mightily to create and maintain.

One was defeated, the other elected, President in 1800, the first time that the digit Zero appeared in a Presidential election year.

Now, let's leap ahead another five years to July 5, 1831, when the people of New York are saddened to hear that James Monroe, the fifth and last of the Revolutionary Presidents, died in their midst the day before — the Fourth of July, the 55th birthday of the nation which he had helped so mightily to establish and to maintain.

And so the three Presidents connected with the first two digital Zero Presidential election years — 1800 and 1820 — all died upon the birthday of our country, which they helped to found and to develop and of the United States of



THE FLAG GOES UP at the new Torrance Elementary Schol, 2125 Lincoln St., after pupils marched from the old school on Martina Ave., Monday. The state flag is raised under Old Glory.

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